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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In Re Application of

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Serial No: 10/064,145

Group Art Unit: 2839

Filed: 06/14/2002

Examiner: Duverne, Jean F.

For: ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE PROTECTIVE  
BOOT FOR A CONNECTOR

Attorney Docket No: 126062 (GEMS 0162 PUS)

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EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.191)Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, dated August 10, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1-11, 13-17, 19 and 20.

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity. The fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is \$340.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the required fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50,2401.

Respectfully submitted,



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